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Honorable Douglas P. Woodlock, United States District Judge United States District Court One Courthouse Way Boston, MA 02210

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Dear Judge Woodlock:

As your Honor is aware, I am counsel for the Petitioner, Ezeguiel Arroyo.

With the gracious consent of the Assistant Attorney General handling this case, Susanne Reardon, I respectfully request an additional week, through and including September 9, 2005, to file Petitioner's Reply to Respondent's Memorandum of Law Opposing the Petition. Respondent's 28-page Memorandum was received on or about August 2, 2005. Substantial research and work has been done, but additional time is necessary to prepare a reply, including because of the complexity of several of the issues raised by Respondent's opposition. No further requests for extension will be made.

Thank you for your consideration of this mather.

Susanne Reardon, Assistant Attorney General